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Requirements, ORR 11791

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1. It is requested that the following requirements be added to Guide No. 164:

a. Paragraph 10, page 11: There have been indications that the USSR is constructing a coaxial cable line via Kiev in order to connect Moscow-Prague and Warsaw. Information is desired on the progress of this construction, the capacity of the cable and the date of completion. (S.)

b. Paragraph 1, page 31: Major improvement in telecommunications facilities such as the installation of microwave radio relay or coaxial cable facilities to increase the number of interurban trunk circuits. Plans of the European Satellite Countries contain reference to such facilities to be used in connection with a Bloc television network. However, these facilities could be used to provide an air defense reporting network as well as a higher capacity interurban telephone network. (C.)

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